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The following Listing of Claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

## **LISTING OF CLAIMS:**

1-14. (Canceled).

(Original) A fishing reel, comprising:

a reel body, including

a component body,

a ground film-layer formed by a paint coat on an obverse-layer side of said component body, and

metal film means for providing a mirroring effect, said metal film means being formed semitransparently on an obverse-layer side of said ground film-layer; a handle assembly disposed on a side of said reel body; and a line-winding spool removably and reattachably fitted to said reel body.

16. (Original) The fishing reel as set forth in claim 15, wherein said fishing reel is a spinning reel and further comprises a rotor rotatably fitted to said reel body, and

said spool can move reciprocatingly with respect to said reel body.

(Original) The fishing reel as set forth in claim 15, wherein said fishing reel is a dual bearing reel, and

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said spool is rotatably fitted to said reel body.

(Original) The fishing reel as set forth in claim 15, wherein said metal film means is formed by metal vapor deposition, and contains any one of chrome, nickel, zinc, magnesium, aluminum, a stainless steel alloy, and titanium.

6 19. (Original) The fishing reel as set forth in claim 15, further comprising a protective film layer formed by a clear paint coat on an obverse-layer side of said metal film means.

(Currently Amended) A The fishing reel, comprising: as set forth in claim 15, further comprising

a reel body, including

a component body,

a ground film-layer formed by a paint coat on an obverse-layer side of said component body, and

metal film means for providing a mirroring effect, said metal film means

being formed semitransparently on an obverse-layer side of said ground film-layer;

a handle assembly disposed on a side of said reel body;

a line-winding spool removably and reattachably fitted to said reel body; and an anodized film layer formed in between said component body and ground film-layer by anodizing,

said component body of said reel being formed from at least one of aluminum alloy and magnesium alloy.